

PATENTIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: WOLFGANG SCHNELL - 2  
SERIAL NO.: 09/937,696 EXAMINER: H. PITTS  
FILED: SEPTEMBER 28, 2001 GROUP: 2876  
TITLE: DEVICE FOR CODING AND MARKING OBJECTS

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE FIRST OFFICE ACTION

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as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

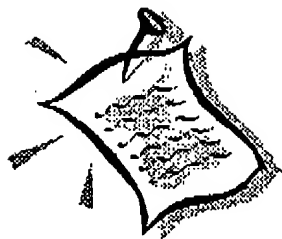
Please cancel claims 10-18 and insert new claims 19-26 as  
follows:

1--10. A device for coding and marking objects comprising  
conveyor belts and conveyor belt connections made of plastic,  
rubber or a material similar to rubber, said device comprising  
the following components:

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